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ABOUT ME AND THE MYSTERIOUS IKEMEN

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CHARACTERS

TSUTSUI HIKARI

AFFECTIONATELY CALLED TSUTTSUN. AN OTAKU BOY WHO LOVES THE TWO-DIMENSIONAL. DESPITE HIS DISPOSITION, HE WAS SUDDENLY CONFESSED TO BY AN UNRIVALED BEAUTY NAMED IROHA. SINCE THEN, HE MADE MORE FRIENDS AND HIS REAL WORLD LIFE HAS BEEN GOING GREAT! HE WAS ALSO CONFESSED TO BY HIS KOUHAI, AYADO-SAN, BUT...?

IGARASHI IROHA

A BEAUTIFUL 3D GIRL SURROUNDED BY RUMORS OF HER PLAYING AROUND WITH GUYS. UNEXPECTEDLY, SHE QUICKLY BECAME CLOSE WITH TSUTTSUN. SHE WAS THE ONE TO CONFESS AND START THE RELATIONSHIP. SHE MADE UP WITH TSUTTSUN, WHO SHE HAD BEGUN TO DOUBT AFTER HE WAS OVERLY CONSIDERATE OF AYADO-SAN

CHIKA

A WEIRD, BUT HOT, GUY WHO SUDDENLY BURST IN ON THE SCENE. DOES HE HAVE SOME CONNECTION TO IROHA?

ITOU

TSUTTSUN'S BEST FRIEND. A "CAT EARS FOR LIFE" OTAKU. HE SECRETLY HAS A THING FOR AYADO-SAN

AYADO-SAN

TSUTTSUN'S KOUHAI WITH A CRUSH ON HIM, A CUTE GIRL AND AN OTAKU. SHE CONFESSED TO HIM BUT WAS REJECTED

ISHINO-SAN

TSUTTSUN'S CLASSMATE AND THE MASTER HE SEEKS ADVICE FROM IN MATTERS OF LIFE. RECENTLY, SHE HAS TAKEN NOTICE OF MITSUYA

TAKAHASHI MITSUYA

HE TRIED TO GET CLOSE TO IROHA AND WAS INSTANTLY REJECTED. HE TRIED TO GET REVENGE ON TSUTTSUN BY DECEITFUL MEANS, BUT THEY SOMEHOW ENDED UP BECOMING FRIENDS

STORY

THIRD YEAR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT HIKARI IS AN OTAKU BOY WHO HAS DEVELOPED NO RESISTANCE TO LOVE. BY UNEXPECTED CHANCE, HE RECEIVES A CONFESSION FROM THE BEAUTIFUL IROHA, AND WITH JUST A BIT COMMUNICATION BETWEEN THE TWO, IT BECAME MUTUAL LOVE. HE TURNED DOWN THE CONFESSION OF AYADO-SAN AND REAFFIRMED HIS BOND WITH IROHA, BUT ON THEIR WAY HOME FROM A FUN DATE, HE WAS PUNCHED BY A WEIRD, BUT HOT, GUY WHO SUDDENLY APPEARED IN FRONT OF THEM?!

WHO

IS THIS GUY?

OW...

Y-YEAH ...

SORRY, TSUTSUN

ARE YOU OKAY?

THIS PERSON IS REALLY YOUR BOYFRIEND

HE'S IMPORTANT TO YOU

APOLOGIZE PROPERLY, CHIKA

...ARE YOU BLACKMAILING HER?

WHY DID YOU IMMEDIATELY REACH THAT CONCLUSION?

THAT'S RUDE!

SORRY TSUTSUN

AFTER WE GO HOME IET'S EXPLAIN CLEARLY THE SITUATION TO CHIKA SO HE CAN UNDERSTAND

MAYBE HE'S

HER EX-BOYFRIEND

THIS GUY ...

THIS FEELING, MAYBE...

HE'S MY YOUNGER BROTHER

GOING HOME ...?

BUT YOU'VE BEEN STUDYING ABROAD FOR AWHILE

LOOKS LIKE IT ...

I JUST GOT BACK

BROTHER!?

BY THE WAY, WHY DIDN'T YOU CALL ME?

I SEE ...

IT WAS FOR A GOOD REASON ...!!

IT'S GOOD THAT YOU'RE SURPRISED

YOU SURPRISED ME!

UM, ANYWAYS ...

.....

I'M NOT THE KIND OF PERSON WHO WOULD HURT HER OR DO THINGS LIKE THAT

THAT'S WHY I DON'T WANT YOU TO MISUNDE-RSTAND

...GOT IT. I'LL LISTEN PROPERLY TO IROHA'S EXPLAN-ATION

GO HOME FOR TODAY

FOR NOW I'M GOING TO MEET UP WITH MY FAMILY WHO I HAVEN'T SEEN IN A WHILE

SORRY TSUTSUN

I UNDERSTAND

THAT'S ALRIGHT

I'LL MAKE HIM APOLOGIZE SERIOUSLY AFTERWARDS

TAKE YOUR TIME...

AND THEN CALL YOU, OK?

HE LOOKS LIKE A PAIN TO DEAL WITH

BROTHER

HER YOUNGER BROTHER... THAT'S GOOD ....BUT

AH

MY GLASSES ARE BROKEN

SOMEHOW I'M PROBABLY NOT THE KIND OF HUMAN HE WOULD WANT THE MOST AS HIS SISTER'S BOYFRIEND

WELL, IF I HAD SUCH A PRETTY OLDER SISTER, OF COURSE I WOULD BE WORRIED

HOW COULD YOU PUNCH HIM OUT OF THE BLUE?

...I CAN'T BELIEVE IT

WE'RE GOING OUT

HE'S NOT AN ACQUAINTANCE

I NEVER THOUGHT YOU WOULD HAVE SUCH AN ACQUAINTANCE

IT WAS AN OBVIOUS MISUNDE -RSTANDING

HE'S MY BOYFRIEND

IT'S NOT CONVINCING

AT ALL

HE NEEDS TO COME AGAIN AND PROPERLY GIVE HIS GREETINGS

TIME TO SURPRISE MOM

ANYWAYS

IF YOU ALSO TALK TO HIM YOU'LL UNDERSTAND

HE'S A GOOD PERSON ...

SORRY TODAY WE HAD DINNER WITH OUR FAMILY AND CHIKA IMMEDIATELY WENT TO SLEEP, TALKING

IF YOU WANT, TOMORROW'S OUR DAY OFF SO WHY DON'T THE 3 OF US GO AND EAT TOG- IF YOU TALK TO HIM, CHIKA WILL ALSO DEFINITELYBE ABLE TO UNDERSTAND

TSUTSUN

OVER HERE

SERIOUSLY?

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WHA-

SO LAME!

I DON'T WANT TO WALK TOGETHER WITH THIS KIND OF GUY AT ALL!

CHIKA!!

SOUR

I'LL GET MAD

WHY DO YOU SAY THOSE THINGS?

FOR US TO GET ALONG. THIS...

STRAINED

STRAINED

IT'S IMPOSSIBLE...

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THERE'S NO SUCH THING

IS THERE LIKE

A COMMON ...COMMON TOPIC TO TALK ABOUT ...

I TOLD YOU

I WANTED YOU TO GET ALONG ...

STOP MAKING THINGS AWKWARD ON PURPOSE

... CHIKA

U-UM ...

IT'S GETTING MORE AND MORE AWKWARD

CRAP

SHE'S GETTING MAD...

.....

UM...WHAT MANGA DO YOU LIKE-

I DON'T READ THAT KIND OF STUFF

...YOU KNOW

I DON'T WANT TO WORRY OVER SUCH A WORTHLESS AND ANXIOUS GUY

IN THE FIRST PLACE, I'M TERRIBLE AT GETTING FAMILIAR WITH PEOPLE

FROM THE BEGINNING, SINCE I HAD MY MIND CLOSED TO THIS, NOW I CAN'T STAND IT ANYMORE ....

IT'S RIDICULOUS

HOW COWARDLY ARE YOU?

GULP

SINCE I'M NOT WORTH-LESS

YOU NEED TO SHOW ME MORE ZEAL IF YOU WANT TO AT LEAST CONVINCE ME

FIRST OF ALL, WHAT'S WITH APPEARING WITH THOSE BROKEN GLASSES

WHAT KIND OF INTELLIGENCE DO YOU HAVE?

YOU BROKE THESE!

SORRY.. HE'S A DIFFICULT BROTHER

THAT'S HOW I FEEL

THE MORE I TALK, THE MORE I'M LEFT BEHIND

IT'S NO GOOD...

HE'S A GOOD BROTHER

WHY ARE YOU WORRIED?

May I be your help?

My Emma's .....

My bunny's earring is gone somewhere

Just let it go

No! Daddy bought it for me!

Let's find it!

WHAT ARE YOU DOING CHIKA..

I'M LOOKING FOR SOMETHING LOST

YOU SHOULD HELP TOO

SO-SO COOL...

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Thank you

You're welcome

THIS IS TROUBLING

IT SEEMS LIKE I COULD BE FALLING FOR HIM

EVEN THOUGH I'M A GUY

IT WAS THERE?

MAYBE...

I'M PROBABLY THE WEAKEST TYPE

COOL AND KIND

HE DOESN'T HAVE A SINGLE FLAW

Emma!

FALL

Emma!

NDAAAAAA

ROLLING

SMACK

Emma!

TSUTSUN!!

WAH

HH

H

I

DRIP

DRIP

DRIP

DRIP

I THOUGHT I WAS GONNA DIE ...

Oh... good little girl, scared, ha?

I was also scared and so were you

I THOUGHT YOU WOULD DIE!

YEAH...

I WAS SUPER SCARED ...

I DIDN'T THINK ANYTHING

I-

IDIOT!!

Japanese Samurai!!

No... I'm just a Japanese Otaku

JAPANESE SAMURAI!!

Thank you! Thank you! You saved her life!

YOU MUST BE CRAZY... YOU'RE AN IDIOT

Right...

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YOU BIG IDIOT! WHAT DO YOU THINK OF YOUR LIFE?!

PUNCH

I'M JOKING... I JUST WANTED TO SAY IT LOOKED LIKE A MOVIE

ASSHOLE

You could have been killed

Well, she seems to have a brighter future than mine

It is most important moment of my life

I don't wanna die

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HMPH

WAIT, WHAT ARE YOU TWO SAYING? SPEAK IN JAPANESE!

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YOUR UNTRAINED ENGLISH

IT SUCKS

I SELF-STUDY. GO EASY ON ME MAN

TSUTSUN YOUR GLASSES

YOU DON'T HAVE ANY SPARE GLASSES?

THERES' NO NEED TO REPLACE THE LENSES. .

GET THEM FIXED. .

I DON'T

THEY WERE BOUGHT BY MY LATE GRANDMOTHER

THAT'S WHY I HANDLE THEM CAREFULLY

I'LL GET THEM FIXED

GIVE THEM TO ME

EH? WHAT?

ANYWAYS, THEY'RE BROKEN...

EH

IT'S OKAY...

AH

WAI-

RIGHT

HE'S YOUR BROTHER AFTER ALL

THERE'S NO WAY HE'S A BAD GUY ...

...AS I THOUGHT

NO... SINCE CHIKA BROKE YOUR GLASSES, OF COURSE HE WOULD FIX THEM..

AS I THOUGHT HE'S A GOOD GUY...

WHAT THE HECK

NOTHING IN PARTICULAR

HEY, WHAT DID YOU THINK OF TSUTSUN?

I'M WEAK...

HE WAS ALL RESTLESS. A TYPICAL JAPANESE GUY

THAT GUY ONLY SAVED A CHILD

HE WASN'T A BAD GUY, RIGHT?

I CAME BACK BECAUSE I WAS WORRIED ABOUT YOU

YOU'RE ALSO A JAPANESE GUY...

WHAT'S INFLUENCED YOU SO MUCH IN ONE YEAR..

OF COURSE I DON'T WANT YOU TO GO OUT WITH SOME WEIRD GUY

TSUTSUI!

THE MOVIE FOR THIS ANIME JUST STARTED!

AH, IT'S NOT IROHA

AH...WHAT ABOUT GOING ON SUNDAY ...

SOMEHOW, SHE'S GOING WITH HER FAMILY TO VISIT A GRAVE OR SOMETHING ...

IS THAT OKAY?

OKAY!

OHH!

LET'S GO SEE IT THIS WEEK!

T'S OK. I'LL GO BY MYSELF

YEAH...

NO! I'LL GO PROPERLY TO VISIT

AND YOU'LL DO SOMETHING

AH, AYATO-SAN HAS BEEN SAYING SHE LOVES THAT ANIME

RIGHT ...

YOU'RE RIGHT

YEP, WE'RE DIFFERENT PEOPLE ..SORRY

AH

SORRY

N? TO A MOVIE?

YEAH

DON'T COME. BOWLING'S MORE FUN

LET'S GO ON ANOTHER ROMANTIC DATE AGAIN

YEAH...BUT

A MOVIE SOUNDS NICE

I WANT TO GO TOO

EH, IT'S NOT LIKE THAT. LET IT GO

HE'S ALWAYS BEEN A WORRYWART

THERE'S STILL YOUR BROTHER

HE DOESN'T THINK OF ME CHEERFULLY

TSUTSUN...

IT'S BECAUSE YOU TWO ARE SIBLINGS

I THINK I PROBABLY WOULD ALSO BE WORRIED

I WANT HIM TO PROPERLY APPROVE OF US

BA-DUMP

BA-DUMP

BA-DUMP

AH,
ITOU
-SENPAI

MOVE

SURPRISE

EH

AH

UM...

WHAT'S HAPPENING? THE GIRLS BEING NOISY ...

STAGGER

...IT'S BECAUSE OF HIM

IT'S SUPPLEMENTARY LESSONS THOUGH

YOU SHOULD BE TEACHING ENGLISH...

I CAME BECAUSE I HAVE SOME BUSINESS WITH YOU

I'M SCARED

BROUGHT TO YOU BY

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TRANSLATOR: WHITEWOLFGIRL
CLEANER: 3NITY
PROOFREADER: TSUBAKI
TYPESETTER: TSUBAKI
QC'ER: TSUBAKI

WE NEED CLEANERS AND TYPESETTERS!

Woah...
SO MANY PRETTY MANGA...
Waa...
THIS IS WHERE THE SUMMER RAIN TEAM DO THEIR MAGIC
AND SCANLATE ALL YOUR FAVORITE SHOUJO MANGA!
Welcome to Summer Rain~!
WHAT?! THEN WHY ARE YOU DOING THIS?
YEAH, IT'S NOT LIKE WE GET PAID TO TRANSLATE MANGA FOR YOU.
AH, BUT WAIT, IF YOU WANT TO READ MORE CUTE SHOUJO MANGA, YOU HAVE TO HELP US SOMEHOW.
OKAY?
Summer Rain

Sign me up!
IN FACT, MOST OF THIS MANGA WORK REQUIRES PEOPLE WHO KNOW HOW TO USE PHOTOSHOP!
Even if you don't know how to use Photoshop, you can help by donating as well!
YEAH. ALL YOU HAVE TO DO IS GO TO OUR WEBSITE.
BUT YOU KNOW, YOU DON'T HAVE TO KNOW JAPANESE TO HELP US.
I CAN'T BELIEVE IT! THEY ACTUALLY DEDICATE THEIR FREE TIME TO BRING MANGA JUST FOR ME!
I feel so bad for always asking them for faster updates!

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